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Or 25 Per Ct. Less****\$1.69 a Yard For Our \$2 Silks**

- \$2.00 Finest Silk Charmeuse, 40 inches wide, (evening shades and dark colors.)
- \$2.00 Crepe Meteor, light and dark shades.

**\$1.19 a Yard For Our \$1.50 Silks**

- \$1.50 Crepes de Chine, crinkled weave, 40 inches wide, (light shades for evening wear only.)
- \$1.50 Fine Silk Moire in black and colors. 36 inches wide.
- \$1.50 Satins de Luxe, beautiful shades. 36 inches wide.
- \$1.50 P-S Co.'s Famous Black Peau de Soie. 36 inches wide.
- \$1.50 Satin Duchess, a yard wide.
- \$1.50 Silk Crepes de Chine. 40 inches wide. Light and dark colors.
- \$1.50 Amora Dress Silks. 24 inches wide.

**89c a Yard For Our \$1.25 Silks**

- \$1.25 Black Peau de Soie. 36 inches wide.
- \$1.25 Satin Duchess, a yard wide.
- \$1.25 Silk Brocades. 36 inches wide.
- \$1.25 Shirting Silks that are washable.
- \$1.25 36-inch Natural Pongee Silks.
- \$1.25 Brocaded Crepes de Chine.
- \$1.25 Fancy Taffetas, Messalines and Crepes de Cines.
- \$1.25 Silk Bengalines, 26 inches wide.
- \$1.00 Silk Crepes de Chine, 40 inches wide.

(Light evening shades and colors for street wear.)

**79c a Yard For Our \$1.00**

- \$1.00 Fine Silk Messaline, 36 inches wide.
- (Plain shades for evening and afternoon wear.)
- \$1.00 Fancy Striped Messalines, yard wide.
- \$1.00 Fine Silk Serge Suitings. 36 inches wide.
- \$1.00 Natural Silk Pongee, (two widths 27 and 36 inches.)
- \$1.00 Washable Shirting Silks.
- \$1.00 Rajah Silks in dark shades.
- \$1.00 24 and 27-inch Fancy Foulards.
- \$1.00 Special 24-inch Fancy Silks.
- \$1.00 27-inch Moire, black and colors.

**69c a Yard For These \$1.00 Silks**

- \$1.00 36-inch Changeable Taffeta Silks.
- \$1.00 Fancy Silk Foulards, yard wide.

**59c a Yard For Our 85c Silks**

- 85c Fine Crepes de Chine. 40 inches wide.
- (Street and evening shades)

**49c a Yard For Our 65c Silks**

- 65c 36-inch Tub Silks.

**39c a Yard For Our 50c Silks**

- 75c 24-inch Fancy Foulards.
- 65c Fancy Silk Foulards, 24 inches wide.
- 50c Fancy Colored Pongee Silks.
- 50c Striped Messalines and Taffetas. 19 inches.
- 50c 26-inch Silk Crepes
- 50c 27-inch Brocaded Satins
- 50c 27-inch Brocaded Crepe Silks.

See 39c Window  
Display

**24c a Yard For Our 35c Silks**

- 35c Silk Crepes de Crinkle. Light and dark shades.

**17c a Yard For Our 25c Silks**

- 25c Seco Silks, 27 inches wide.

**SOCIAL****Al. Field's Banquet.**

For twenty-five years it has been the custom of Al. G. Field to give a banquet each year, celebrating the termination of his company's year, and the beginning of the next. The twenty-fifth annual banquet of the company was given in Columbus, Ga., and it so happens that the dates of the company will see it in Columbus, Ga., on October 6, 1913. These banquets have been given in cities all over the United States, but it has never been the good fortune of the company to celebrate the event in the home city of Mr. Field where the company was organized.

The Al. G. Field minstrels were organized in Columbus, O., July 4, 1888. The company rehearsed in that city, but the opening performance was given in Marion, O., October 6, 1888. There were twenty-seven men on the roster of the company, fifteen of whom are known to have passed to the great beyond; three are unaccounted for; nine are still in the land of the living, but one other than Mr. Field who were with the company at its opening is still connected with it; Joe E. Hatfield has been on the salary list of the company since July 15, 1886.

Mr. Hatfield rarely travels; he looks after Mr. Field's farm and other property in Columbus, O., visiting the company at long intervals. The annual banquets generally see him present. All of those who were of the company at its beginning have been invited to attend the annual banquet, and Col. Charles Sweeney, known as "Pop," who was the first stage manager and assisted Mr. Field for months in the preparatory work of launching the company, will travel from Peru, Ind., to Columbus, Ga., to be present at the banquet.

The Al. G. Field minstrels is the oldest traveling theatrical organization in the world. It is the oldest minstrel show in the world, and has toured continuously since the date of its opening (with the exception of summer vacations). It is probably the only organization of the character that has never experienced reverses; not one losing season do its books show since its opening. It has never changed name, ownership or management, and it is reported that Mr. Field has made all arrangements that the company may be perpetuated after he chooses to discontinue at his head.

**Ford-Stotler Wedding.**

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ford, of the Monticello addition, last evening a merry company of relatives and friends assembled to witness the marriage of their daughter, Marguerite, to Mr. Robert Blake Stotler. At the appointed hour Miss Bessie Boggess sweetly sang "I Love You Truly," after which to the soft strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, beautifully rendered by Miss Cora Atchison, the bride and bridegroom, unattended, took their places before an improvised altar in the bay window and there, amid the palms and under the wedding bell of white roses, were taken the vows which made them man and wife.

During the ceremony "Call Me Thine Own," was rendered very softly on the piano which had also been played at the marriage of the bride's parents, twenty-three years ago.

The bride looked lovely in her mother's wedding gown, a heavy white moire antique silk with full, round court train and wore a long white veil caught with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white bride's roses with valley lilies.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles Baird Mitchell, rector of Christ Episcopal church, in an impressive manner, following which the guests repaired to the dining room where ices, cake, mints and coffee were served from a beautifully appointed table which had a large basket of pink roses for the attractive centerpiece.

Mr. Stotler is an enterprising and exemplary young man who was graduated with honors from the Washington and Lee University in 1910 and is now a civil engineer with the Monongahela Valley Traction Company. His bride is a charming and accomplished young lady who was graduated from the College of Music of Cincinnati in 1912 and who has won many hearts by her beautiful singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Stotler left on the 9:40 train for Washington and other eastern points after which they will make Clarksburg their future home.

**Will Meet.**

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Mark's Lutheran church will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. W. L. Heuser, 116 Park avenue.

**Prize Waltz a Feature.**

A feature of the Cadanza orchestra's dance tonight in Hoffman Hall will be a prize waltz, in which at least twenty couples will take part that

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number having entered. A gold coin will be given to the winning couple. There will be a big orchestra for the affair and a program of the latest dance hits will be executed.

**Ald Society Meeting.**

The Ladies Aid Society of the Central Christian church will meet at the parsonage at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Each member is urged to be present.

**Ice Cream Social.**

There will be an ice cream social at the Ash Chapel church at Broad Oaks Thursday evening. Besides ice cream and cake, watermelon and home-made candies will be on sale.

**Prettily Written.**

"The Shadow of a Curse" is prettily written and has many fine things in it. The ability of Miss Emerick is evident. She has not written the great American novel, but her book is worth while. She deserves success and every one in Parkersburg should help her to achieve it. The

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**\$20****The WOMAN'S STORE****GIVEN FREEDOM.**

PARKERSBURG, Sept. 17—After being in the county jail here for more than a year awaiting trial on the charge of murdering Merritt Webber, a railroad man who died in a local hospital of injuries received in a fight with him, Homer Stump, alias Homer Anderson, has been given his freedom. Witnesses at the state could never be found and

Stump was never placed on trial, although indicted.

**CIRCUS MAN DIES.**

MORGANTOWN, Sept. 17—Stanfer, performer of the Sig. Sautelle circus, which recently showed here, died at the city hospital here of typhoid fever. He was taken to the hospital when the circus was here. The body was sent to his home at Easton, Pa.

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